1   108. The computer program product of claim 102, wherein the first con-

2   text comprises accepting input for a directory filtering operation, and the second

3   context comprises accepting input for a direct entry operation.

1   109. The computer program product of claim 102, further comprising:

2   computer-readable program code configured to cause a computer to, re-

3   sponsive to at least one of the accepted keystrokes not being

4   valid in one of the contexts, determine that the other context is

5   intended.

1   110. The computer program product of claim 102, further comprising:

2   computer-readable program code configured to cause a computer to, re-

3   sponsive to the keystroke sequence not producing a valid result

4   in one of the contexts, perform an action using the keystroke se-

5   quence according to the other context.

1   111. A computer program product comprising a computer-usable me-

2   dium having computer-readable code embodied therein for concurrently accept-

3   ing parameters in at least two contexts, the computer program product compris-

4   ing:

5   computer-readable program code configured to cause a computer to ac-

6   cept a keystroke sequence comprising at least one keystroke,

7   each keystroke having a first value, and at least a subset of the

8   keystrokes having a second value;

9   computer-readable program code configured to cause a computer to de-

10   termine whether the keystroke sequence produces a valid result

11   in a first context;

12   computer-readable program code configured to cause a computer to, re-

13   sponsive to the keystroke sequence producing a valid result in

14   the first context, output first feedback, the first feedback indicat-

15   ing keystroke input according to the first context;

16   computer-readable program code configured to cause a computer to de-

17   termine whether the keystroke sequence produces a valid result

18   in a second context; and

19   computer-readable program code configured to cause a computer to, re-

20   sponsive to the keystroke sequence producing a valid result in

21   the second context, output second feedback, the second feed-

22   back indicating keystroke input according to the second context.

1   112. The computer program product of claim 111, wherein:

2   the computer-readable program code configured to cause a computer to

3   output the first visual feedback comprises computer-readable

4   program code configured to cause a computer to output the first

5   feedback at a first location on a display screen; and

6   the computer-readable program code configured to cause a computer to

7   output the second visual feedback comprises computer-

8   readable program code configured to cause a computer to out-

9   put the second feedback at a second location on a display

10   screen.

1   113. The computer program product of claim 111, wherein the first con-

2   text comprises accepting input for an iterative directory filtering operation on a

3   plurality of directory records.

1   114. The computer program product of claim 111, wherein the first con-

2   text comprises accepting input for a telephone number direct entry operation.

1   115. A computer program product comprising a computer-usable me-

2   dium having computer-readable code embodied therein for concurrently accept-

3   ing parameters in at least two contexts, the computer program product compris-

4   ing:

5   computer-readable program code configured to cause a computer to ac-

6   cept input having at least two possible values;

7   computer-readable program code configured to cause a computer to, re-

8   sponsive to exactly one of the possible values being valid, out-

9   put feedback according to the one possible value and determine

10   an intended context responsive to the one possible value.